Mattancheri Municipal Council has been given sanction to make cash collections of tolls through Municipal employees from the boats that touch at Canal Jettey at Mattancheri; and if so, when was the sanction given?

Mr. K. P. Kannan Nayar *(Joint Secretary to Government).*—No. This is done under section 155 of the Municipal Regulation. There is Government sanction for the appointment of Jetty Bill Collectors to collect the landing dues.

Regarding the profit or loss made by the Government Potteries at Chalakkudi—1111.

361. Mr. Popatlal Goverdhan Lalan *(Mattancheri Town-North).*—Will the Government be pleased to state as to what profit or loss has been made by the Government Potteries at Chalakkudi during the year 1111?

Mr. P. V. Subramania Ayyar *(Comptroller of Accounts).*—

Loss—Rs. 2,193—13—10.

Cash in hand in the various Treasuries in the State—particulars regarding.

362. Mr. E. Ikkanda Warriar *(Urakam).*—Will the Government be pleased to state:—

(1) the amount of cash in hand in the various treasuries in the State;

(2) the amount deposited in Banks; and

(3) the amount lent for Industrial purposes in the State on the 1st Makaram 1112?

Mr. P. V. Subramania Ayyar *(Comptroller of Accounts).*—

(1) Opening balance on 1st Makaram 1112:—

Cochin-Kanayannur Treasury	Rs.	2,18,215—5—7
Trichur Treasury	,,	2,50,112—15—2
Mukundapuram Treasury	,,	75,784—11—6
Talappalli Treasury	,,	67,835—15—8
Chittur Treasury	,,	1,00,155—14—1

(2) Rs. 75,16,620.

(3) Rs. 1,40,681—8—9.

Mr. E. Ikkanda Warriar *(Urakam).*—May I know the average rate of interest that the Government gets on the amounts they have in bank?

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